

cept as far as limiting the number of acres.

Delegate Carter said that it was with a feeling of regret that he offered his amendment, as he believed in the principle that religious property should stand on the same ground as other property, and not be exempt from taxation.

Delegate Robertson was not in favor of the original motion, but was willing to accept the compromise. He believed the smaller churches should be exempt, but that the larger and richer churches should be taxed.

Delegate Baldwin thought that if a church had property outside of the regular church, and received an income from it, it should be taxed as any other property.

Councillor Waterhouse said he hoped the motion would be laid on the table. He thought the article was simply intended as a hit at the Roman Catholics.

The motion to lay on the table was carried.

Minister Hatch moved to reconsider Section 2, Article 53.

Carried.

Minister Hatch moved to add the following to the article in place of Section 2:

"The Senators shall be elected at the general election to be held on the last Wednesday of September, 1899, in three classes, to hold office for two, four, and six years, respectively, and thereafter in terms of six years; the details of such election and appointment of terms shall be provided for by the Legislature."

The substitute was adopted.

Delegate Vivas moved to insert a new article, as follows:

"No moneys shall hereafter be appropriated or paid as pensions or annuities to any member of the ex-royal family."

Delegate Vivas said the ex-royal family had had eighteen months to make arrangements for a pension, and had not done it. Enough time had been given, and it was time to close the doors.

Councillor Allen thought the Constitution should not contain any such article.

The motion to insert the new article was lost.

Minister Smith said it had been suggested that Section 22 of Article 78 should be changed. He did not think so. But he would favor substituting the words "all election laws, in force when this Constitution is promulgated, are hereby repealed." He moved to reconsider the section.

Carried.

The substitute section was carried.

Delegate Baldwin introduced the following resolution:

"Resolved, That there shall be but one more reading of the Constitution, and for purposes of revision only."

The resolution was adopted.

The Convention then adjourned until Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

THE BRITISH ARMY.

Its Recruiting and Desertions and Its Total Available Force.

Some interesting statistics are presented in the recent official returns of the condition of the British army. Its aggregate strength on the first day of the present year was above 219,000, being the largest ever known under the present establishment, and, in fact, exceeding by about 3000 the authorized maximum. It is naturally impossible, with the constant recruiting and discharging, to keep the force always at the exact point set by law, but the purpose doubtless is to keep the average for the year close to the maximum, and, indeed, it was 216,400.

Of the 219,000 men thus spoken of, about 105,500 were serving in Great Britain and Ireland; 51,500 in the colonies; 77,000 in India, and 5000 in Egypt. The recruiting for last year added 35,000 men to offset the deaths, discharges, desertions, and so on. London led off, as usual, with 5355 recruits, and then followed Manchester with nearly 1000 men, Glasgow with 922, Birmingham with 850, and Dublin with 717.

An important institution in the British army which has no analogy in our own, although a bill in Congress seeks to create one, is the reserve. There were 17,528 men transferred from the army to the army reserve in 1891, and 17,751 in 1892, with but a few hundred less last year. The total number on January 1st last seems to have been 80,530. The militia enrolled at the inspection dates last year numbered nearly 124,700, while the yeomanry were nearly 10,400 strong. The volunteers on November 1st last numbered nearly 227,000, and the militia reserve 31,000. The army reserve has been continually increasing for the last twenty years, but, from special causes, there may be a slackening in the increase next year. However, a permanent first-class reserve of between 70,000 and 80,000 can be counted on. Out of the militia many men joined the regular army, navy and marines. The yeomanry cavalry have been decreasing for some years, but the volunteer force continues to show an upward tendency.

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J. A. KING,
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Interior Office, June 27, 1894.
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H. T. TAYLOR, Esq., has this day been appointed an Agent to take acknowledgments to Contracts for Labor, for the District of Ewa and Waianae, Island of Oahu.

J. A. KING,
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Interior Office, June 26th, 1894.
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G. E. BOARDMAN, Esq., has this day been appointed an Agent to take acknowledgments to Contracts for Labor, for the District of Kona, Island of Oahu.

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Interior Office, June 23th, 1894.
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Sale of Government Land in Lan-pahoehoe Gulch, Hilo, Hawaii.

On TUESDAY, July 24, 1894, at 12 o'clock noon, at the front entrance of the Executive Building, will be sold at public auction, a tract of Government Land in Lanpahoehoe Gulch, Hilo, Hawaii, containing an area of 61 65-100 acres, a little more or less.

It is conditioned that the purchasers of the above Lots shall pay cost of survey and plotting of same. Full information in this regard can be obtained at the Land Office, Interior Department.

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J. A. KING,
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Interior Office, June 20, 1894.
3719-3t

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A. BROWN,
Superintendent Honolulu Water Works.
Approved:
J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
Honolulu, May 25, 1894. 3698-4t

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List of property for sale:
1 Bay Horse, 1 Gray Mare, 1 old Hack, No. 12 and 1 set old Harness.
E. G. HITCHCOCK,
Marshal.
Honolulu, June 26, 1894. 3725-5t

MARSHAL'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF Execution, issued out of the District Court, on the 26th day of May, A. D. 1894, against Mrs. Opealu (w), defendant, in favor of Mrs. Nihou, plaintiff, for the sum of \$33, I have levied upon and shall expose for sale at the Police Station, in the District of Honolulu, Island of Oahu, at 12 o'clock of TUESDAY, the 3d day of July, A. D. 1894, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said Mrs. Opealu, defendant, in and to the following property, unless said judgment, interest, costs and my expenses be previously paid.

List of property for sale:
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